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Indoor butterfly identification workshop series

An indoor butterfly identification workshop series will be held Saturday, 9 a.m.- 1 p.m. at the Tucson Botanical Gardens, 2150 N Alvernon Way, Friend's House Building. The classes will cover the following:

Saturday: Swallowtails, Pierids and Gossamerwings Butterflies

March 1: Metalmarks and Nymphalids Butterflies

March 8: Skippers, and Butterfly Gardening

The fee for the workshops \$10 each or \$25 for all three classes.

Participants are suggested to bring a pair of close focus binoculars and a butterfly field guide book. For more information, call 803-9700 or 742-0071.

Mens, Coed fall softball leagues

Parks and Leisure Services will be conducting the Men's Coed Softball Leagues starting April 14-15. The entry fee for the league is \$400 per team with a \$20 per player registration fee.

The \$400 league fee is due at the informational meeting March 31, at the Oscar Yrun Community Center. Registration packets will be available March 3, at the OYCC, at the Ethel Berger Center and at the Cove. The \$10 per player fee is due by the second game of the season.

For more information, call 458-7922.

Youth wrestling

The Youth Services sponsored wrestling program practices every Monday and Wednesday at 6 p.m. at the Youth Center.

The Youth Center is located on Cushing Street directly across from Smith Middle School. Wrestling is for youth ages 6 and up. The program will be conducted as a club ran by interested volunteers.

Youth should come in work-out clothes and parents are welcome to attend and get information on the program.

For more information, or to volunteer as a wrestling coach, call Youth Services at 533-3205/3212.

Apache Flats RV resort accommodates Army community

BY STAFF SGT.
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TIME OUT EDITOR

The Apache Flats RV Resort on post may be one of Fort Huachuca's best-kept secrets. According to Sharon Blakley, resort host, the recreation vehicle park is one of the newer ones throughout the Department of Defense and features 50 sites.

"It's one of the newer RV parks in the military system. It was built to accommodate the largest RV that they make. I've had several 40-footers come through here," Blakley said. The park can be utilized by active duty servicemembers or retirees and costs only \$13 a day, \$75 a week. For 30 days, the fee is \$270. She said servicemembers can also sponsor family members who come to visit post.

"Several students in Advanced Individual Training have sponsored their parents or grandparents who have come here to see their graduation," she said.

The park, which has been

open for five years, features full hook-up capabilities, a dump site, utilities, 50 channel cable service, concrete pads that have pull-through capabilities, a holding tank and 30 and 50-amp capabilities. The resort also has picnic tables and a barbecue grill, an enclosed recreational area where patrons can participate in arts and crafts. In addition the resort also has telephone service available 24 hours a day and Internet hookup plus laundry machines on site.

She said the amenities of the resort include all of the facilities that are in such close proximity such as the fitness centers, the swimming pools, the Main Post Exchange, the movie theater and the Commissary. The resort is also close to several hiking trails.

Guests have come from as far away as Alaska and Hawaii. "More and more active duty members are using the resort while they are undergoing a permanent change of station because it's easier to move across country in a



Photo by Staff Sgt. Sharron Stewart

Fort Huachuca is the home of the Apache Flats RV Resort. The resort hosts 50 sites.

RV. They can cook meals in it and keep the family together," she said.

"I think the park gets such repeat business because it's so beautiful, secluded and peaceful. Wildlife often comes down from the mountains to visit us," Blakley said.

The resort gets repeats

business twice a year because of those who are looking for a warmer climate. "It's usually full from October through April," she said. The resort is also visited in the summer by those who are escaping the intense heat in other states.

"I just love this area and I've met a lot of people. I

keep telling everybody that I'm gonna be here until they kick me out," Blakley said laughing. For more information or to make reservations, call 520-533-1335 or visit the Web site at www.Armymwr.com/PAA. Military Living offers a listing of every RV site in the United States and Europe.

RWBHC hosts Black History Month Program

BY STAFF SGT.
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The pride and perseverance of African Americans was celebrated Feb. 12 at the Raymond W. Bliss Army Health Center.

The theme was "The Souls of Black Folks," as was selected by Barbara Blakenship, administrative assistant. She's been involved in RWBHC's Black History Month program for the last five years. "This year's program was wonderful. We had a little bit of church in here today. God was in nearly everything," she said smiling.

The program, which is an annual event, featured singing of the American and the Negro National Anthem, the reading of several poems, and an electric dance performance. The crowd was also serenaded by the jazz saxophone performance of Staff Sgt. Eddy Nubine, 36th Army Band who performed his original creation, "Winds of Bless-



Photo by Staff Sgt. Sharron Stewart

Staff Sgt. Anika Anderson-Hack, physical therapy assistant, looks over at exhibit.

ing."

Frank Bothwell was the guest speaker and closing remarks were made by Staff Sgt. Glenn Rawl, noncommissioned officer of charge

of RBWHC Specialty Clinic.

After the ceremony, attendees were treated to free samples of African American cuisine.

Scholarships for military children a sweet deal

BY BONNIE POWELL
DEFENSE COMMISSARY AGENCY

Applications for \$1,500 scholarships are due in at the nearest commissary by Friday.

At least one scholarship will be awarded at every commissary location with qualified applicants.

"We've made it even easier to apply this year," said program liaison Edna Hoogewind of the Defense Commissary Agency.

"Everything a potential applicant needs to know is in the Frequently Asked Questions section of our scholarship page at <http://www.commissaries.com>. The application can be downloaded and filled out by hand, or filled out on the computer and saved as a file. Copies of the application are also available at commissaries worldwide."

The scholarship essay topic is "How has being the child of a military service member influenced your educational goals?"

In past years the essay

has been a key factor, along with activities and community involvement, in deciding among the many outstanding applicants.

"Remember, the deadline for returning applications by hand or mail to a commissary is Friday," said Hoogewind. "Applications must be in the store by close of business on that day, and if you are not hand-delivering your application, it's a good idea to use a delivery method that supplies a return receipt. Commissaries will bundle up the applications and send them to scholarship managers as soon as the deadline passes," said Hoogewind.

"Scholarship managers will only acknowledge final receipt of the applications if students include a self-addressed and stamped post card with their applications."

Hoogewind also advises students to check all their materials carefully for simple things – like making sure the application is signed or that they are using the 2003 application, not one from previous years.

Nadeau drives Army of One car toward Daytona 500 berth

TIM HIPPS
ARMY NEW SERVICE

Jerry Nadeau faced a tough mission in the second of Thursday's Gatorade 125-Mile Qualifying Races which determined the field for Sunday's 45th running of the Daytona 500. Nadeau posted the 34th-fastest speed in the No. 01 U.S. Army of One Pontiac Grand Prix during pole qualifying Monday at Daytona International Speed-

way. He was clocked in 49.205 seconds around the 2.5-mile trioval, an average speed of 182.908 mph.

Jeff Green won the pole position with a fast lap of 48.230 seconds (186.606 mph) in the No. 30 America Online Chevrolet. Dale Earnhardt Jr. earned the outside starting spot on the front row with a 48.528-second lap (185.460 mph) in the No. 8 Budweiser Chevy Monte Carlo.

"We weren't as quick as we were in practice," said Nadeau, who had the 14th fastest speed in Saturday's second practice session. "The car just never came up to speed. It's just one of those deals. I am not sure why — whether it's the (restrictor) plate or something else. But we're not worried about it right now. We're just going to get the car ready for the race." Crew chief Ryan Pemberton agreed that the

black and gold Army of One car wasn't quite up to speed on Monday.

"We should have been three-tenths quicker," he said. "I am very disappointed with that lap. I am not disappointed with the race team, not disappointed in the program, just disappointed with that lap. We have to get ready for race trim. We'll have a good race car, I don't doubt that."

"We'll put this behind us,

shake it off, and we'll go get them in the 125 race."

On Feb. 11, Nadeau posted the second fastest speed (188.336 mph) during a one-hour practice session at the Birthplace of Speed. It was the first session under race trim conditions for the NASCAR Winston Cup teams as they prepare for today's 125-mile qualifying races and Sunday's Daytona

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MI soldiers afforded opportunity to graduate with MOS, college credit

BY STAFF SGT. SHARRON STEWART
TIME OUT EDITOR

Graduating soldiers of the 309th Military Intelligence made history Feb. 13. Their graduation marked the first time in the history of the MI Corps that MI soldiers are able to graduate having earned their military occupational specialty in addition to transferable college credit from Cochise College.

According to Bruce W. Richardson, Director Cochise College, Fort Huachuca Center, this feat is made possible because Army instructors have met the qualifications to become adjunct faculty at Cochise College.

Richardson pointed out that soldiers who pay a \$35 processing fee receive both an official and an unofficial transcript with letter grades from the institution.

Richardson pointed out that students need 16 credit hours to establish residency, but that some MI courses offer more.

“Not only have the soldiers earned college credit, they can now transfer these courses to other institutions,” he said.

Richardson said all of the Advanced Individual Training soldiers at Fort Huachuca have the opportunity to get a jump-start on earning a two-year intelligence operator degree at Cochise College which can be completed online.

Richardson said of the 15 ground surveillance system operator course students that graduated, eight of them took advantage of being able to earn college credit.

This added bonus helps soldiers because often when they get their Army/American Council on Education Registration for Transcripts Systems transcripts evaluated, it depends on the institution for the amount of credit they receive and they don’t earn letter grades.

“The support by the leaders on post has been phenomenal. Everyone is excited about this,” Richardson said.

He said the Basic Noncommissioned Officers Course students and the Advanced Noncommissioned Officer Course students will be afforded the same opportunity starting in March.

For more information, visit www.cochise.cc.az.us/ and select the Fort Huachuca link.



Photo by Staff Sgt. Sharron Stewart

Some of the graduating students of the 309th Military Intelligence Battalion, 111th MI Brigade, were able to earn credit from Cochise College while at the same time they earned their military occupational skill.

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500.

“This is a good start and we have a good baseline to build on,” Nadeau said. “We’re going to keep plugging away and get this U.S. Army Pontiac in top shape for Thursday’s qualifying race.”

Added Pemberton: “It didn’t look bad today, but at times it’s kind of hard to get a clear picture because you’re picking up packs every other lap. I feel better about our race car today than yesterday after qualifying. What we pulled off in qualifying, there’s only one way to go and that’s towards the front. It looks like we’re heading in that direction.”

The Twin 125-Mile Qualifiers will determine positions 3 through 30 for The Great American Race. The highest finisher of the first Gatorade 125, once the Bud Pole winner is removed from the equation, will start third in the Daytona 500, the next-highest finisher sixth and so on through 30th position. In the event of cancellation, the top-30 positions will be set according to the NASCAR Winston Cup Series Rule Book.

Starting positions 31 through 36 are determined by qualifying speeds set in the original timed qualifying (fastest of Monday’s two laps). The 30 cars in the field will be removed from the equation, and the remaining cars with the fastest official qualifying speeds will fill these positions.

Starting spots 37 through 43 are provisional positions assigned starting with the car owner ranked highest in the 2002 NASCAR Winston Cup Series car owner point standings who did not qualify for positions 1 through 36 and assigned in descending order until all provisional spots are filled. Position 43 is reserved for a past Winston Cup champion if necessary.

“I enjoy the Twins,” Nadeau said. “I finished second last year and third the year before, so I enjoy the Twin 125s.” Nadeau competed in 28 races last year and finished 37th in the point standings. He drove for four teams in 2002, beginning with Hendrick Motorsports for the first 11 races of the season. He filled in for injured Johnny Benson for three races at MBV Motorsports, drove a car owned by Michael Waltrip for one race, and competed in 13 races for Petty Enterprises.

He missed the last five races of the year because of injuries — two fractured ribs and a separated shoulder — sustained in a go-kart accident at a friend’s house. His best finish was eighth in the April race at Bristol, Tenn. In five career starts in the Daytona 500, Nadeau’s best finish was 11th place in 1999. He was 21st in 1998, 35th in 2000, 32nd in 2001, and 28th in 2002.

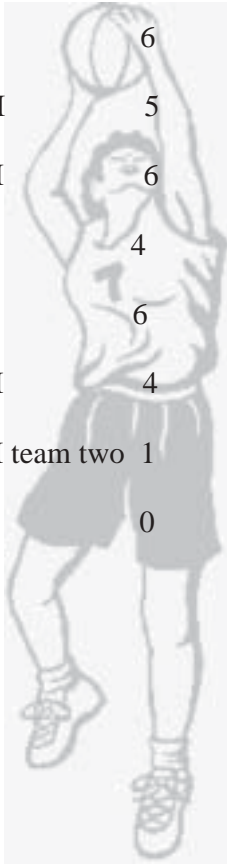
“Last year was a tough year,” admits Nadeau, who is elated to have a full-time ride sponsored by the U.S. Army. “I left Hendrick Motorsports, hopped around and helped some teams out. But I don’t think I have anything to prove. I’ve always given all I have. People who know me know that I have the drive to win. I’ve led a lot of races and could have easily won six times in the last couple of years, but unfortunately ‘Lady Luck’ bit us all the time.

“It’s important to get off to a good start. Though we’re a new team, I think it’s going to take some time for Ryan, the crew and myself to get things going, especially with the new

Intramural basketball standings

These are the post intramural basketball standings as of Monday. Read next week’s *Scout* to see who wins the post championship tonight.

	Wins	Loss	Pct.	Points	Gaveup
1) NETCOM	12	3	.800	755	534
2) 19th Signal	13	2	.867	650	547
3) Company E, 305th MI	13	2	.867	738	479
4) DFAC	12	3	.800	774	544
5) 111th MI	11	4	.733	764	600
6) HQ CO, 306th MI	10	5	.667	756	636
7) Company B, 305th TM#1	9	6	.600	679	592
8) 314th TRS	8	7	.533	586	530
9) Company A, 305th MI	6	9	.400	655	616
10) Company A, 309th MI	5	10	.333	466	601
11) Company D, 309th MI	6	9	.655	616	400
12) USAG	4	11	.267	468	590
13) NCO Academy	6	9	.400	688	693
14) Company C 304th MI	4	11	.267	590	481
15) Company B, 305th MI team two	1	14	.067	419	798
16) 111th team two	0	15	.000	520	834



Photos by Tim Hips

Mariah Carey sings the National Anthem to begin the Daytona 500 as a soldier salutes the U.S. flag of the Army’s Continental Color Guard.

cars and the new Pontiac bodies. I sincerely feel that we’re going to conquer and do well. I am anxious to have the finishes speak for themselves.”

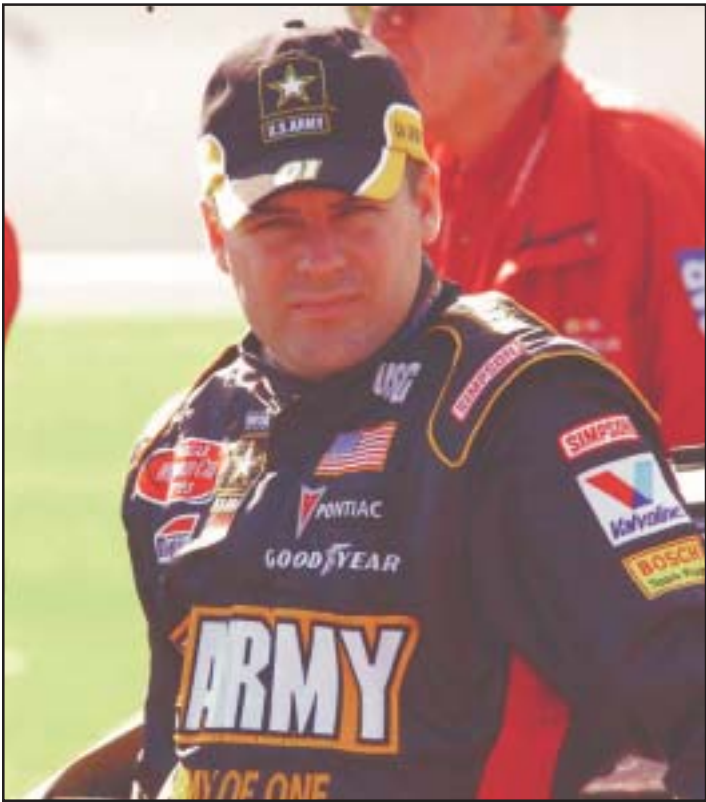
This season is a reunion of sorts for Nadeau and Pemberton. They worked together in 1999 when Nadeau fill in for injured Ernie Irvan in the No. 36 car, owned by MB2 Motorsports and tuned by Pemberton.

Nadeau, 32, of Danbury, Conn., is proud to drive for the world’s No. 1 fighting machine.

“It’s an honor to drive the U.S. Army car in the Winston Cup Series,” he said Monday before climbing into the car for his qualifying laps. “I’m pretty excited. Ever since going to Afghanistan and Kuwait (to visit troops), it’s been a trip. It’s been a learning experience. My dad served in the Army, too, so I got to learn a lot.”

With America on the verge of going to war, Nadeau feels extremely emotional every time he takes the track in the Army of One ride.

“It’s emotional for sure,” Nadeau concluded. “When I went over there I got to meet a lot of the troops and it was more of an honor to meet them. Our hearts and prayers are going to be with them. I know we’re going to win this thing, and once we do our biggest thing is just to get everybody back home safe.”



Jerry Nadeu, race car driver for the Army’s Nascar, finished 28th Sunday.



Fort Huachuca Directorate of Community Activities Updates

The Directorate of Community Activities is responsible for content appearing on the MWR page in The Fort Huachuca Scout. Questions about this section should be directed to MWR Marketing Director, Paula German at 538-0836 or send an e-mail to paula.german@hua.army.mil.



Tickets Available at MWR Box Office

Tickets for the following shows to be presented at Tucson Convention Center are available at the Box Office:

“Stomp”, presented Feb. 28, 8 p.m.; March 1, 5 p.m. and 9 p.m.; and March 2, 2 p.m. and 7 p.m.; “Cats” presented April 4, 8 p.m.; April 5, 2 p.m. and 8 p.m.; and April 6, 2 p.m. and 7 p.m.

The 15th Annual Renaissance Festival will be held at Apache Junction for eight weekends through March 23, and on President’s Day. The box office has tickets for this exciting event.


Let the Morale Welfare Recreation Box Office assist you in getting Tucson Ice Cat tickets. The Ice Cats play at the Tucson Convention Center. The tickets are available to purchase Monday-Friday between the hours of 10 a.m.- 4 p.m.

Friday and Saturday, the Cats will host ASU at 7:30 p.m. Tickets for each event are \$9, \$7 or \$6 for adults. Children are \$4 with any adult purchase.

Let the MWR Box Office, assist you in making hotel reservations for the Tucson or Phoenix areas. The Box Office also has discounted tickets on Southern California attractions. These tickets are discounted for military, DOD and NAF employees at great savings.

Prices vary. Call 533-2404 for information or drop by the MWR Box Office located in the MWR Plaza, Bldg. 52008 on Arizona Street. MWR Box Office is open Monday - Friday, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

The Box Office has fax service available. Call or stop by for additional information.



Applications for Spring Youth Fest now available

The Directorate of Community Activities, Child and Youth Services and Recreation Services Division, will sponsor the annual “Spring Youth Fest” on April 26. Vendor applications for this event are available now through March 20. Applications may be picked up at the Child and Youth Services Registration Office, Murr Community Center. For more information, please call 533-8437.

La Hacienda fun and entertainment

The pulsating rhythms of Latin Sounds have moved to Friday nights at 10 p.m. Come move with us. Saturday nights are back with DJ Mr. Slim. Come out and dance to the various styles of music every Saturday from 10 p.m.- 4 a.m.

Basketball courts will be closed for resurfacing

Barnes Field House main gym basketball courts will be closed Monday through Mar. 31, 2003 for resurfacing. For further information call 538-2022.

While the refurbishing is being done, patrons can use the basketball courts at Eifler Gym. Call 538-4723 for more information.

Barnes Pool offers water aerobic classes

Water aerobic classes are now being offered at Barnes Pool. A session is currently underway, and runs through Saturday. Classes are held every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday from 9-10 a.m. Cost is \$25 for a nine-class session. Or you can pay as you go, which will be \$3 per class. The class is for all ages and open to the public and active duty. For more information, contact Karlie Jo Hale at 533-3858.

Thunder Mountain Marathon cancelled

The 2003 Thunder Mountain Marathon, which had been set for March 22, has been cancelled. The majority of entrants in this event are soldiers, and, due to the current world situation, many have been deployed. Because of this, the marathon has been cancelled.

Youth Services Tae Kwon Do Classes

Youth Services offers Tae Kwon Do classes every Tues-

day and Thursday at 6 p.m. at the Youth Center. Ages 4 and up are invited to come to any class and participate. Parents are welcome as well.

Germany orientation set for Wednesday

Army Community Service is sponsoring an overseas orientation for soldiers and family members preparing for a tour in Germany.

The purpose of this event is to help alleviate some of the initial stressors associated with relocating to Germany. The orientation will be held Wednesday, 6 - 8 p.m. at Murr Community Center. Please register no later than Monday by calling ACS at 533-2330 or 533-5919, or email pamela.j.allen@us.army.mil for more information.

February special at MWR Rents

Take your sweetheart to dine at LaHacienda, LakeSide, Lil’ Skeeters or Jeannie’s Diner. Bring the receipt to MWR Rents and you’ll receive \$5 off any rental of \$25 or more at MWR Rents. This offer is good until Feb. 28.



Bravo! Army Theatre show time changed

The Bravo Army Theatre group is set to perform at Fort Huachuca March 6 at the Cochise Theater. The time for the early show has been changed. It is now set for 5 p.m. The 2 p.m. show has been cancelled. The 7 p.m. show will be presented as scheduled.

The six-member Bravo Theatre troupe, currently touring the U.S. and overseas, will present a 70-minute show called “Lift Up Your Hearts, America”. Music includes songs by Billy Joel, James Taylor, Carly Simon, Roger Miller, Woody Guthrie and George M. Cohan.

Tickets are on sale now at MWR Box Office, MWR Rents, Desert Lanes and Sierra Vista Safeway for just \$5. Seating is limited, so get your tickets now. For more information, call 533-2404.

B.O.S.S. to host golf tournament

The Fort Huachuca Better Opportunities for Single Soldiers will host a golf tournament on April 18, beginning at 8 a.m. This event, which will be held at Mountain View Golf Course, is open to everyone. The entry fee is \$30 per person.

First, second and third place prizes will be awarded, as well as prizes for the longest drive, closest to pin and a putting contest. Format is a four-person scramble.

If you don’t have a team, you will be placed on one. Sign up early. Slots will be filled on a first come, first served basis.

For more information, at 533-7395.

ICW Wrestling to return to Fort Huachuca

International Championship Wrestling, Inc. will once again be hosted by the Directorate of Community Activities, Recreation Services Division, April 5 at Barnes Field House. Tickets go on sale tomorrow at MWR Box Office, Desert Lanes, MWR Rents and Sierra Vista Safeway.

The following bouts have been scheduled: Buff Bagwell vs. Norman Smiley; Disco Inferno vs. The Navajo Warrior; Erica vs. Nikki (ladies match); Hollywood vs. The Black Scorpion; and Shane and Shannon Ballard vs. Jason and Johnny Riggs (tag team match).

Doors open at 6 p.m. Bouts start at 7 p.m.

Right Arm Night at LakeSide

The LakeSide Activity Centre will host the next Commanding General’s Right Arm Night Feb. 28 at 4 p.m.

Karaoke with Ken Edwards, free food and a pay-as-you-go bar make this a lively spot to relax and socialize.

Registration for Little League

Fort Huachuca will not have a Little League Baseball Program this season. All youth interested in playing Little League Baseball must register with the Sierra Vista Little League. Registration information is listed below:

Players 5-16 years of age can register for Sierra Vista Little League at Big 5 Sporting Goods Store Saturday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Opening day will be April 5, 2003.

The following ages apply: Tee-Ball, ages 5-6, date of birth August 1996 to July 1998; Coach Pitch, Ages 7-8, DOB August 1994 to July 1996; Minors-Majors, Ages 9-12 DOB August 1990 to July 1994; Junior-Senior, Ages 13-16, DOB August 1986 to July 1990.

Cost for Tee-Ball and Coach Pitch is \$45 per player. For Minors/Majors/Junior/Senior, cost is \$55 per player. (For families with more than two players in the league, the cost will be \$25 for each additional player.)

Volunteers, coaches, managers and sponsors are needed. For more information, call Mike Dominy at 417-5100.

FRG Training set for March 8

Family Readiness Group Training will be conducted March 8, from 9 a.m. - noon at Murr Community Center. This class will cover the basics of establishing and running a family readiness group, funding issues and managing volunteers. Please call Army Community Services at 533-5919 or 533-2330 to register by March 6.

Scouts basketball home games

The Fort Huachuca Scouts basketball team will play their next two home games Saturday, 3 p.m. and Sunday, 1 p.m. against Holloman Air Force Base at Barnes Field House.

All games are open to the public at no charge. Come out and support your local Army team.

New “Family Night” at Pepperoni’s

In support of the families of deployed soldiers, Pepperoni’s will have “Family Night” every Tuesday, 5 - 8 p.m. You’ll have the chance to enjoy many different specials, such as a large, one-topping pizza for just \$7; a free soda with any sandwich order; and the all-you-can-eat spaghetti buffet, for just \$5.95 for adults, half price for children 5-11 years, and children under 5 years are free.

The east side of Pepperoni’s Restaurant is available for groups, meetings and get-togethers. Please call 533-3802 to reserve this room when planning your functions.

Wellness workshop to be held March 5

A “Put Prevention into Practice” class will be offered March 5, 6-7 p.m. at Murr Community Center. This is a wellness workshop conducted by Raymond W. Bliss Health Center.

By attending the PPIP, you will receive a Healthwise Handbook and an over-the-counter medication card. The card will enable you to receive certain medications free at Fort Huachuca pharmacies.

Free child care is available, but space is limited. Registration is mandatory by March 3 by calling Army Community Services at 533-2330 or 533-5919.

Festival of the Southwest location change

The Festival of the Southwest, which has been held in Sierra Vista at Veterans Memorial Park in past years, has moved to the R.L. Anderson Special Events Park on Fort Huachuca this year. The event is set for May 2 - 4. The festival is open to the public and there are no admission fees!

Food, craft, non-profit, military, Family Readiness Groups and information vendors are wanted. For information on space available, contact Recreation Services Division at 538-1690.

Softball program starts March 31

The 2003 Commanders Cup Softball Program is scheduled to start March 31. Letters of intent are due March 4.

The organizational meeting for the program is set for March 4 at 10 a.m. at Barnes Field House.

Showings

The Cochise Theater movie prices are \$3 for adults and \$1.50 for children, except on Wednesdays and Thursdays, when all admission is only 99 cents.

All movies will be showing at 7 p.m., unless otherwise indicated. For more information, call 533-2950 or visit www.aafes.com.

Today at 7 p.m.
CATCH ME IF YOU CAN

Leonardo DiCaprio, Tom Hanks - Frank lived a life of crime using his abilities forgery and escape. FBI agent Shaye, respected his abilities so much that he eventually worked out the deal that got him out of prison just after 5 years. Rated **PG-13** (Some sexual content and brief language). 140 Min.

Friday at 7 p.m.
NATIONAL SECURITY



Martin Lawrence, Steve Zahn - Earl and Hank have only one thing in common, they're both L.A.P.D. rejects. As lowly security guards they uncover a sophisticated smuggling operation. These two unlikely partners just might save the day. Rated **PG-13** (Violence, language and some sensuality) 90 Min.

Saturday, Sunday and Feb. 27 at 7p.m. **JUST MARRIED**

Ashton Kutcher, Brittany Murphy - Two young newlyweds find that their perfect honeymoon in Venice is turning out to be the worst one imaginable.

Can the marriage, which many of their friends and family said was a bad idea survive the celebration? Rated **PG-13** (Sexual content, some crude humor and a brief drug reference). 95 Min.

Commissary provides service, savings during deployments

BY CAROLE YOUNG
DECA

Military service members make many sacrifices to defend our country, among them: personal, professional and financial. All three seem to coincide when a service member is deployed or a Guard or Reserve member is activated, sometimes facing a reduction in household income.

The Defense Commissary Agency can help by providing significant grocery savings of 30 percent or more to service members and their families – when they use their commissary benefit regularly. Shoppers can expect to save even more on meat and produce purchases and frequent case lot sales help shoppers realize even bigger savings.

In addition to working hard to ensure exceptional savings for the military community, DeCA is committed to providing excellent name brand products, produce and meats, and efficient service that's second to none. Grab-and-Go sections, early bird and assisted shopping and 30-minute parking spaces are conveniences you'll find at many commissaries. Cooking demonstrations, "Meat Made Easy" preparation instructions and recipes are all part of DeCA's commitment to service.

Take note of some of these tips to help make deployments easier – and make the most of commissary shopping.

- Arm yourself with information. Before deploying, make sure family members are provided with the correct information and documentation needed for commissary shopping. Tips for preparing for deployment can be found on http://deploymentlink.osd.mil/deploy/prep/deploy_checklist.shtml.
- Obtain ID cards. All family members (spouse and children 10 years of age and older) should have ID cards. An ID card is required to make commissary purchases and may also be required at the gate if the commissary is located on an installation with increased security precautions.
- Guard and Reserve members should have a commissary privilege card. Unless activated, Guard or Reserve members and authorized family need to show a CPC along with a military ID card to take advantage of their 24 shopping days at the commissary. Service members should go to their local unit to get information concerning the CPC. DeCA does not issue the CPC; the unit does. For more information on Guard and Reserve shopping privileges visit <http://www.commissaries.com/>